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1 **CONFIDENTIAL - WILLIAM AHDOUT**
2 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
3 **FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

4 **In re:** :
5 **Global Brokerage, Inc.** : **Master File No.**
6 **F/k/a FXCM, Inc.** :
7 **Securities Litigation** :
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10 **REMOTE VIDEO DEPOSITION OF:**

11 **WILLIAM AHDOUT**

12 **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2021**

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2 A. Okay.

3 MR. LaPOINTE: And, just for the
4 record, this is document beginning GLBR 189079.

5 A. Okay.

6 Q. And does this appear to be an e-mail
7 from John Dittami to David Sassoon copying
8 yourself and Ken Grossman on April 14th, 2017 at
9 7:49 a.m.?

10 A. It appears to be, yes.

11 Q. And I direct your attention to the
12 very top line of the e-mail, "Just to confirm
13 steps for meeting."

14 Do you see that?

15 A. Yes.

16 Q. So reviewing the language of this
17 e-mail, do you recall having a meeting with
18 Mr. Sassoon and/or Mr. Grossman and Mr. Dittami
19 around the time of this e-mail?

20 A. I do not remember meetings from
21 11 years ago.

22 Q. So would it be fair to say that the
23 answer is, no, you don't, specifically, remember
24 this one?

25 A. I don't, specifically, remember

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2 Q. Were there ever any times when FXCM
3 and Effex agreed to apply a different rate to all
4 of Effex's trading for a period or some portion
5 of it?

6 A. Well, again, it was a very fluid
7 situation and it was negotiated many times.

8 So, if you have a specific question
9 when it was negotiated, please refresh my memory
10 and I'm happy to tell you.

11 Q. Do you recall any specific instances
12 where that happened?

13 A. I know that it happened. I don't
14 remember, specifically, from ten years ago when
15 and how much and to what context they happened.

16 Q. Could you take a look at what has
17 been labeled at Exhibit No. 30.

18 (Deposition Exhibit 30, 4/18/11
19 e-mail from Paresh Patel to William Ahdout
20 GLBR_00064414 marked Confidential, was marked for
21 identification.)

22 A. Okay.

23 MR. LaPOINTE: And, for the record,
24 this is, I believe, a single page document with
25 the Date Stamp GLBR 64414.